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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DETERMINING LIQUID ABSORPTION OF

AGGREGATE

Petition for Extension of Time

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), Applicant respectfully petitions for an extension of time of one (1) month from the original response date of March 24, 2005 for responding to the outstanding Restriction Requirement in the above-identified patent application. With the extension of time, the period for response now extends up to and includes April 25, 2005. Please charge Deposit Account 23-3000 in the amount of \$120.00.

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Réspectfully submitted.

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